

## Message Text

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ACTION L-03

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EO 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ETRN  
SUBJ: TAXATION OF INSTRUMENTS OF FOREIGN COMMERCE

REF: STATE 191803

1. EMBASSY CONCLUDES FROM CONSULTATION WITH MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION AND VARIETY OF TRANSPORT INDUSTRY REPRESENTATIVES THAT THERE ARE NO SIMILAR TAXES LEVIED IN IRAN. THERE ARE VARIOUS PORTAGE AND STORAGE CHARGES AND A BOND MUST BE POSTED FOR CONTAINERS (WHICH ARE TEMPORARILY IMPORTABLE FOR UP TO THREE MONTHS FREE OF IMPORT DUTY).
  2. EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS THAT LEGAL OFFICE OF MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAD EXCHANGE OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH CAA IN EARLY JULY ON CALIFORNIA TAX ISSUE LOOKING TOWARD POSSIBILITY OF FUTURE IRAN AIR SERVICE BETWEEN TEHRAN AND CALIFORNIA.
  3. ANY FURTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION BEARING ON SUBJECT WILL BE TRANSMITTED AS SOON AS IT BECOMES AVAILABLE.
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